<u>AMENDMENT A</u> (37 C.F.R. 1.111)

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-8 without disclaimer to their content and without prejudice to their subsequent reintroduction into this or a future patent application.

PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING NEW CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 9-16. The new claims are attached herein on separate sheets and are added simply to provide a clearer presentation of the claims for the benefit of the Examiner.

New claim 9 adds the composition of former claim 2 to former claim 1 limitations.

New claim 10 is the former claim 3 unamended.

New claims 11 and 12 correspond to former claims 5-8.

New claim 13 is supported on page 5, lines 13 to 15 of the specification in application.

New claim 14 is supported on page 7, lines 11 to 15 of the specification in application.

New claims 15-16 is supported on page 6, lines 2 to 5 of the specification in application.

REMARKS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.111, reconsideration of the instant application, as amended herewith, is respectfully requested. Entry of the amendment is requested.

Claims 9-16 are presently pending before the Office. Claims 1-8 have been canceled. Applicants have amended the claims. No new matter has been added. Support for the amendments can be found throughout the specification as originally filed. Applicants are not intending in any manner to narrow the scope of the originally filed claims.